does not operate are given in the enclosed Statement. *(See* below).

(b) Air India has not execised the traffic rights to these countries dut to commercial and operational reasons.

(c1 No, Sir.

**Statement**

Countries w»ere*?Ur India ana Staving Traffic rights *but* are not Operating

1. Australia
2. Austria
3. Bangladesh
4 Belgium
5. Bhutan
6. Bulgaria
7. Burma (Myanma;)
8. China
*9.* Czechoslovakia
10. ERV,U
11. Ethiopia
12. Fiji
13. Finland
14. Ghana
15. Hungary
16. Iran
17. Iraq 1S.

Ireland

19. Israel
20. Jordan
*ll* Kazakhstan
22. Lebanon

?. 3.Lesotho

24. Nepal
25. Netherland
26 Nigeria
27. Philippines
28. Poland
29. Romania
30. Seychelles 3L

South Korea

32. Spain
33. Sri'Lanka
34. Syria 35.

Tjjikistan

36. Turkey
37. Turkmenistan
38. Ukraine
39. Uzbekistan
40. Vietnam
41. Yemen (North)
42. Yemen (South)
43. Yugoslavia ,
44. Zimbabwe

**Harassment of psissengeis at Airports**

2320. SHRI S. MADHAVAN: WiU the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION AND TOURISM be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government are aware of the harassment of the passengers at the hands of the security staff at. the air ports;

(b) whether Government have since taken any steps to create an Aviation Security Force separately with well-trained officers equipped with sophisticated electronic equipments for pre-embarkation security checks: and

fc) if so, what are the details thereof?

Till: MINISTER OF CIVIL AVIATION AND TOURISM (SHRI GHULAM NABI AZAD): (a) As and when any specific complaint of harassment is received, the same is enquired into and appropriate action taken,

(b) and (c) Separate Aviation Security Force has no) yet been created. However, training in behavioural aspects is imparted to police personnel performing aviation security duties from rime to time.

**Tuticorin Airport in Tamil Nadu**

2321. SHRI S. MADHAVAN: Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION AND TOURISM be pleased to state-fa) when the Airport at Tuticorin in Tamil Nadu was opened;.